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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

Applicants have considered the Non-Final Office Action mailed April 7, 2008, and offer the following amendments and remarks. This response is being filed on or before October 7, 2008 along with a Petition for Three Month Extension of Time, thus making it a timely response. Although the Applicants do not believe any additional fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0310 (Our Docket No.: 064422-5007US).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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